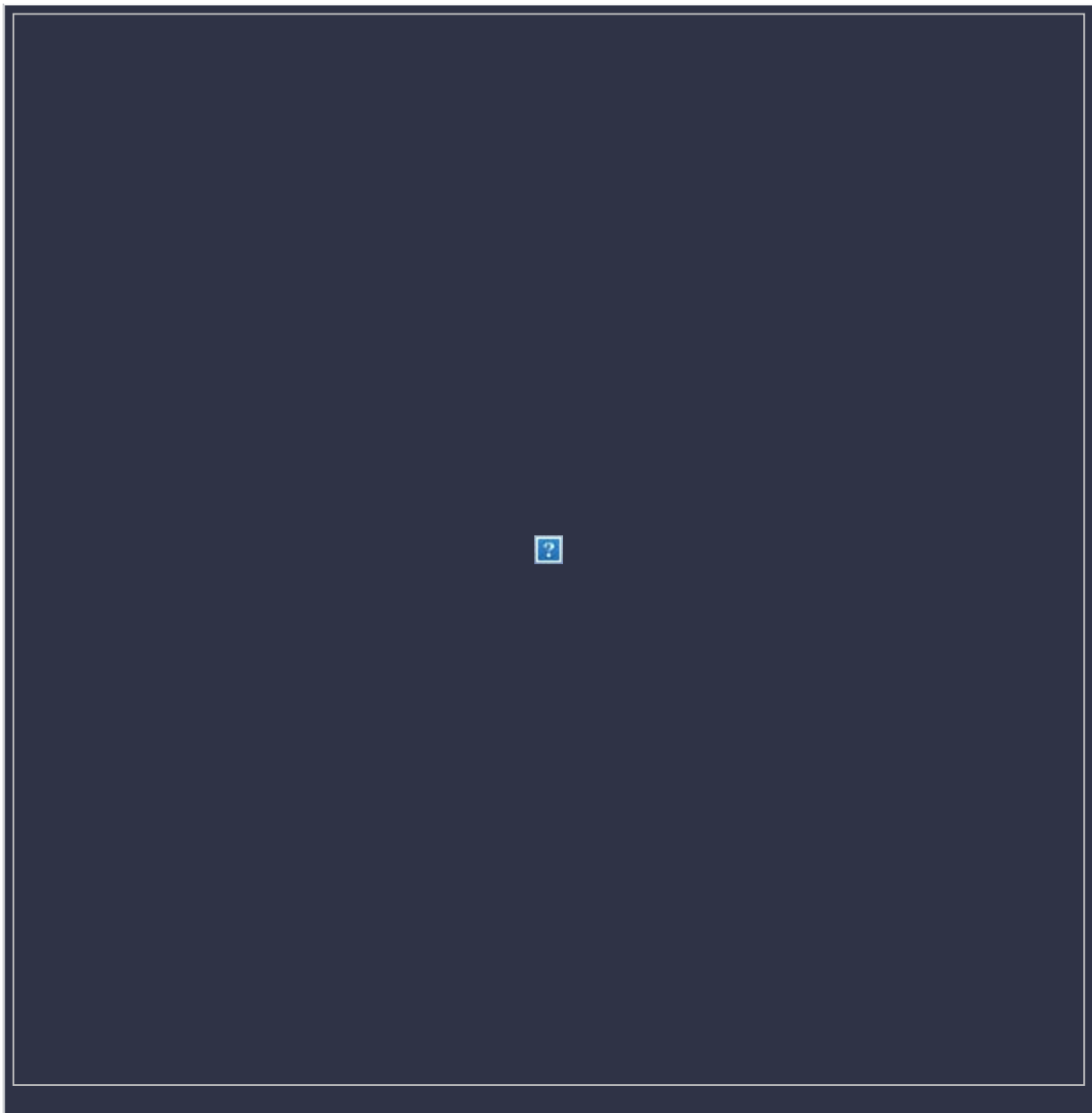


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Connecting California

Justice Scalia Is Right. California Isn't the Real West

But With Immigration Flatlining and the Climate Drying up, It May Soon Be

BY JOE MATHEWS

U.S. Supreme Court Justice Antonin Scalia was on the wrong side of most Californians, and history, in his cranky dissent to last week's landmark ruling legalizing same-sex marriage across the nation. ...

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Friday, July 10, 2015, 6:30 p.m.

Can Urban Riots Cause Change?

A Zócalo/UCLA Event

Moderated by Harold Meyerson, columnist, *The Washington Post*

After recent riots in Ferguson, Missouri, Attorney General Eric Holder criticized the rioters and said: "The way in which we have made progress in this country is when we have seen peaceful, nonviolent demonstrations that have led to the change that has been the most long-lasting and the most pervasive." But is that really true? American history is full of riots that were followed by dramatic change--from the Boston Tea Party (against the British) to the Shays' Rebellion (against coercive taxation), from the Haymarket Square Riot (that inspired the 8-hour work day) to the food riots during the Great Depression (that inspired the New Deal). Do urban riots always cause white flight, as they did in Detroit? Or can they inspire investment and improvements in policing, as has been often claimed in Los Angeles? And despite their costs, can they bring renewed attention to long-simmering social ills? California State Senator **Holly Mitchell**, urban sociologist **Max Herman**, and UCLA historian **Robin D.G. Kelley** visit Zócalo to discuss how riots can change cities, for better and for worse.

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What It Means to Be American

Growing Up at Gettysburg

My Family's Antique Shop by the Historic Battlefield Has Helped Customers--and Me--Connect to Our Nation's History

BY ANDREW SMALL

"Do you have the kind of bullet that killed Lincoln?" asked a tourist buying a Derringer pistol, wearing a God Bless America t-shirt. I looked up from the counter a bit confused. I'd come in late after watching Steven Spielberg and Doris Kearns Goodwin speak ...

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Monday, July 13, 2015, 6:30 p.m.

How Do We Keep Community in the Community Arts Scene?

Redlands Community Music Association executive director **Beverly Noerr**, Music Changing Lives CEO **Josiah Bruny**, LifeHouse Theater president **Wayne R. Scott**, and Redlands University theatre professor **Victoria Lewis** visit Zócalo to discuss what Redlands, a small city with a rich tradition of community-based performance, can teach other cities across California and the country. [DETAILS](#)

Who We Were

The Civil War Was Won By Immigrant Soldiers

Fully One in Four Union Fighters Was Foreign-Born

BY DON H. DOYLE

In the summer of 1861, an American diplomat in Turin, then the capital of Italy, looked out the window of the U.S. legation to see hundreds of young men forming a sprawling line outside the building. Some wore red shirts, emblematic of the *Garibaldini* ...



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